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OPNAVNOTE 5450  
Ser 09B22/8U509407  
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OPNAV NOTICE 5450

From: Chief of Naval Operations

Subj: DISESTABLISHMENT OF NAVAL MEDICAL RESEARCH AND  
DEVELOPMENT COMMAND (NAVMEDRSCHDEVCOM), BETHESDA, MD;  
CHANGE IN TITLE FOR SELECTED MEDICAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE  
DETACHMENTS, AND CHANGE IN DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY FOR  
NAVMEDRSCHDEVCOM SUBORDINATE ACTIVITIES AND DETACHMENTS

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 5450.169D  
(b) SNDL, Part 2

1. Purpose. To implement Secretary of the Navy approval to disestablish subject management headquarters shore activity, to change selected detachment titles, and to approve realignment of subordinate activities and detachments assigned to Chief, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery for command and support per reference (a).

2. Background. The claimant has determined that financial constraints prohibit continued operation of the subject activity. Realignment of the reporting activities and detachments, with requisite detachment changes, will maintain uninterrupted command and support.

3. Organizational Change. Disestablish Naval Medical Research and Development Command, Bethesda, MD; modify detachment titles, and modify reporting procedures for subordinate activities and detachments effective immediately. The following applies:

<u>a. Disestablishment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Commanding Officer Naval Medical Research and Development Command Building 1 Tower 12 Bethesda MD 20889-5606	Immediately

(SNDL: FH19)  
(PLA: NAVMEDRSCHDEVCOM BETHESDA MD)  
(Activity Code: 4185-200)  
(UIC: 00075)

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b. Detachment Retitlements

<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
(1) Officer in Charge Naval Medical Research Institute Detachment (Toxicology) Bldg 433 Area B Wright-Patterson AFB OH 45443-6503	Officer in Charge Naval Health Research Center Detachment (Toxicology) Bldg 433 Area B Wright-Patterson AFB OH 45443-6503
(SNDL: C52C) (PLA: NAVMEDRSCHINSTITUTE TOX DET WPAFB OH) (UIC: 41817)	(SNDL: C52C) (PLA: NAVHLTHRSCHCEN TOX DET WPAFB OH) (UIC: 41817)
(2) Officer in Charge Naval Medical Research Institute Detachment 8308 Hawks Road Brooks AFB 78235-5423	Officer in Charge Naval Health Research Center Detachment 8308 Hawks Road Brooks AFB 78235-5423
(SNDL: C52C) (PLA: NAVMEDRSCHINSTITUTE DET BROOKS AFB TX) (UIC: 39467)	(SNDL: C52C) (PLA: NAVHLTHRSCHCEN DET BROOKS AFB TX) (39467)

c. Revised Delegation of Authority. Chief, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery (CHBUMED) to be delegated through:

<u>Echelon</u>	<u>Command and Support</u>
3	Commanding Officer, Naval Health Research Center, San Diego, CA (Officer in Charge, Naval Health Research Center Detachment (Toxicology) Wright-Patterson AFB, OH)
4	(Officer in Charge, Naval Health Research Center Detachment Brooks AFB, San Antonio, Texas) Commanding Officer, Naval Aerospace Medical Research Laboratory, Pensacola, FL

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4	Commanding Officer, Naval Submarine Medical Research Laboratory, New London, Groton, CT
3	Commanding Officer, Naval Medical Research Institute, Bethesda, MD (Officer in Charge, U.S. Naval Medical Research Institute Detachment Lima, Peru)
4	Commanding Officer, Naval Dental Research Institute, Great Lakes, IL
4	Commanding Officer, U.S. Naval Medical Research Unit No. 2, Jakarta, Indonesia
4	Commanding Officer, U.S. Naval Medical Research Unit No. 3, Cairo, Arab Republic of Egypt

4. Action

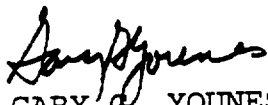
a. CHBUMED will take action to disestablish subject shore activity.

b. Commands, bureaus and offices concerned are directed to take appropriate action to execute redelegation.

c. NAVCSRF, Honolulu, HI will delete and revise the Plain Language Addresses (PLA) to the Common Source Route File immediately unless otherwise directed via official correspondence. Correspondence concerning the PLA should be forwarded to NAVCOMTELSTA (Code N353) Washington, DC 20374-1435.

d. N09B22 will revise reference (b).

5. Cancellation Contingency. This notice may be retained for reference purposes. The organization action will remain effective until changed by N09B.

  
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 By direction

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